Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, An essential part of South Dakota's heritage as Americans is our free enterprise system; and,

WHEREAS, America's millions of small business men and women exemplify the freedoms we all have--the freedoms to produce and create wealth as well as choose, to earn and save and invest, and to make opportunities for ourselves and others; and,

WHEREAS, South Dakota can also be grateful for small business men and women's tremendous contributions to our economy, our competitiveness, and our entire way of life; and,

WHEREAS, Small business men and women's innovation, initiative, and example prompt many South Dakotans, including young people, to join their ranks and start their own small businesses each year. In just this way, through the years, have South Dakota's communities been born, our people employed, our towns and cities grown; and,

WHEREAS, The creativity, confidence, and skills of small business men and women help ensure that South Dakota and America will continue to grow and prosper in freedom and opportunity:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 6 through 12, 1990, as

SMALL BUSINESS WEEK

in South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Third Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE